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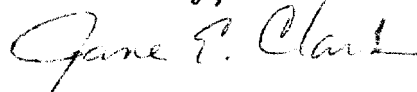
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The powers that be of the Federal Design Assembly, indirectly, and myself, most particularly, sincerely thank you for your time and efforts concerning the development of the First Annual Federal Design Assembly.

Following our Headquarters Building tour and its "supplement" AN ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN FOR CIA, I could appreciate the background, the problems and your on-going solutions to the necessity of improving and directing the quality of the interior and exterior environment throughout the CIA. I believe the Federal Design Assembly panel agrees with your present conception of the Fine Arts Commission: design is not just superficial placement of paintings, but rather it is a total, functional plan, creating useful, positive space (even if the former are bent on proving it!).

Added appreciation for the Harpers Ferry photographs. I hope I will have the opportunity to view your newest prints from Falling Water during the season without leaves.

Sincerely,



Jane E. Clark
Researcher
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NOTE: There is correspondence with or about the National Endowment of the Arts in the FAC--Charter, Policies, Functions file in mid-1971 to about Oct. 1971. Anyone looking at this file might wish to look at that correspondence also.